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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
Appl. No. 09/526,437; Filed: March 15, 2000
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(As Amended)
Inventors: Greene *et al.*
Our Ref: 1488.0710005/EKS/KRM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Request to Approve Proposed Drawing Corrections;
2. Two (2) sheets of drawings with (Figs. 4 and 7) corrections noted in red; and
3. Return postcard.

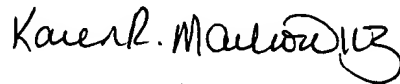
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Attached are copies of two (2) sheets of drawings, containing proposed corrections to Figures 4 and 7, shown in red. The proposed changes add no new matter to this application, but rather correct obvious errors. Applicants request that the Examiner approve the proposed corrections. After official communication of such approval, Applicants will make the appropriate corrections to the formal drawings, which are due to be filed in reply to the outstanding Office Action (Paper No. 11). Accordingly, prompt notification of approval is respectfully requested.

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